

GRILL ARMY IN RUSSELL CASE

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The Boston Elevated Railway Company saved ten of its superintendents, inspectors and other minor officials from being arrested on capias warrants today by rushing them to the Suffolk Courthouse in automobiles so they could appear before the Grand Jury before the police could serve the warrants on them.

These ten men had been summoned to testify before the Grand Jury's special session to investigate alleged intimidation and perjury by Elevated officials in connection with the Elvate strike.

District Attorney Pelletier refused to allow the "L" men to go before the Grand Jury until they had appeared before Judge Pierce and explained why they had originally disobeyed it the summonses to appear. The men appeared before the court, were purged of contempt and allowed to go before the Grand Jury.

PELLETIER TIRED OF WAITING.

The ten were leisurely enough at first. The Grand Jury assembled at 9:30 and the first appeared by 10:15.

MANITOU BRINGS

STUDENTS HOME

Delayed by fog in the iceberg zone east of St. John's, the Red Star liner *Maestri* on reached port today, two days late from Antwerp. Among the eight-hundred passengers were students who have now departed for their studies abroad. They included Miss Ida P. Clough, age 20, of Boston, University of Wisconsin; and Miss M. J. Gifford, head of the Brooklyn, N. Y., high school. She will study the American school system.

Minister Attorney Pelatier, chief of waiting, cut capsize from Judge Pierce. The students were given to four police officers to serve immediately.

Along this time some friend informed the Elevated that the Minister Attorney's car was stuck in the traffic jam. The taking railroad steps is not clear, that the delinquent witnesses would be "plucked" and brought before the Grand Jury forthwith.

There was a grand scurrying in the Elevated office. Automobiles were ordered. The autos were sent out for the various tax men for whom police were at that very time searching.

The Elevated "beat the police to it" as it were. With their speedy autos they whirled one of the witnesses after another to the court house.

A Grand Scramble.

The scene was not unlike a modern version of that grand scramble that took place in the colonial period's "Colonial" days.

When the gallant Young Leuchstar first

the bride to his saddle and galloped away, the next line relates:

"There was something in haste and the
Netherby clan"

A few lines further on the couple appears:

"There was racing and chasing on Cane-
bit tree,
But the last bride of Netherby never did
they see."

There wasn't any bride in this case, but

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**CANOE VICTIM'S BODY
FOUND IN A POND**

MARLBORO, July 24.—The body of Charles Lester Bartlett was recovered today in Fort Monmouth, where he was drowned from a canoe on Saturday. A continued search with divers had been made since the body of the 31-year-old city Marshal Burrell found the body floating on the water. Bartlett was the son of John C. Bartlett, the city's former mayor of the city. He was very popular and was considered "superintendent of the city."

BARTENDER WINS PRINCETON COURSE

ELIZABETH, July 24.—John Lester, nineteen, employed in his father's saloon as a bartender, has been selected by the Princeton Athletic Association to represent the town in a polo match, which will have his expenses paid for four years at the university by the "club." After six months of study, Lester, a Quaker and home life, he was selected as a member of all-around sportsman. He is a member of the Princeton swim team upon to become a scholarship at Princeton.

PHILADELPHIA PIER AND STEAMER BURN

MARINE HOOK, July 24.—Fire at the Philadelphia Marine Hook, on the city wharf, today destroyed the warehouse, barrel factory, tin factory, several other tanks and buildings. The fire, which started at about 10 o'clock, spread rapidly and almost wrecked the British tug "Steamer" and the tug "City of Philadelphia." Also burned. The loss aside from that sustained by the steamer "City of Philadelphia" is \$120,000.

Cardinal Gibbons in Splendid Health, Birthday Message

WESTMINSTER, Md., July 24.—While the public would be interested, you may say to my friends that I have spent my birthday quietly, peacefully and happily; that I am feeling in splendid health and enjoying every moment of my sojourn in the lovely spot, was the message of greeting sent by Cardinal Gibbons to his seventy-ninth birthday.

Asthma—Hay Fever

These most annoying diseases are more prevalent just now than at any other season. The unfortunate sufferer can safely say, and with assured good results.

Warner's Safe

Asthma Remedy

On the market 20 years. It is prepared and prescribed for all forms of Asthma, Hay Fever and stuffy colds—it soothes and relieves at once.

Mr. W. J. Hancock of Wollaston, Mass., writes: "I had Asthma very bad and had to sit up night after night. Could get no relief until I took Warner's Safe Asthma Remedy. In five minutes I was breathing easy and went right to bed and slept."

Free sample and booklet by writing Warner's Safe Remedies Co., Rochester, N. Y.

Dept. 331

Warner's Safe Remedies

15,000 GAY ON CHURCH OUTING

Thousands of East Boston residents held a holiday today at Point of Pines. They were members of the large East Boston parades of the Church of the Assumption and of Our Lady Star of the Sea.

Instead of holding a separate outing for each parish, the clergy and people of both joined, and to all were neighbors and acquainted the result was a gathering unprecedented in Summer church outings. It is estimated 15,000 men, women and children enjoyed the attractions of the field day, which included a splendid program of athletic events. Two orchestras furnished music for dancing, and all sorts of games and pastimes were provided for the children.

The Rev. Joseph V. Fitzgerald and the Rev. William McDonough, pastors of the two parishes which held the reunion, were in general charge of the day's arrangements. In the details of the affair the pastors had the assistance of large committees and also of their assisting clergy.

Rev. James J. McMorris, Rev. John J. Cadden, Rev. John V. O'Connell, Rev. Richard Millard and Rev. Richard Boland.

HOME REBE BEFORE THE BOARD OF ERIN

PHILADELPHIA, July 24.—The question of Home Rule for Ireland is one of the matters that will come before the annual convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, which opens here today.

With delegates to attend from twenty-eight States and three Provinces of Canada.

Your Own Shelf

By MORTON BIRGE

Friend Wilky comes through with demand for a shelf To hold extra pen and a spider or two. You say: "This is easy. I'll build it myself—"



Big business of hammer and nails and a board. And bithelth you work till you hammer your thumb. Then savage the curse, by Wilky deplored—



Friend Wilky picks a carpenter onto the shelf. The "Carp" puts it up without turning a hair. And after it's done you start kidding yourself.

"A pretty good job on that shelf I do here."

SEE SUNDAY'S AMERICAN.

DOES WRITING POETRY INDUCE INSANITY AND DISEASE? Poet Vernet explains how young the same may bring the germ of things to disorder, cause the poet to turn and change his mind. SEE SUNDAY'S AMERICAN.

Astor Sails; Won't Wed or Return to Harvard in Fall

NEW YORK, July 24.—Vincent Astor departed aboard the Mauretania at one o'clock this morning on his long-anticipated visit to his mother, Mrs. Astor, and his sister, Alice, in England. The Astor left at the pier 405 in the evening accompanied by his secretary.

In regard to reports of a forthcoming marriage engagement announcement having mentioned Mrs. Claire, the actress, and Margaret Andrews of Newport, Virginia, Astor said: "I am not engaged and have no present intention of marrying. I shall be almost six weeks during which I shall take a tour of traveling with my mother and sister. After a visit to India, I intend to return to New York. Owing to the pressure of business here, I shall not return to Harvard next fall."

HUNT MISSING

NORTH ADAMS MAN NORTH ADAMS, July 24.—Mrs. James Smith, Jr., of North Adams has reported to the police that her husband, who is missing, last saw him on the morning of the 23rd. He was seen at the police station and never came back. She has asked the police to help her search for him.

AUTO WOULDN'T GO WITH SYRUP AS OIL

INTERVALL, N. H., July 24.—X. C. Young, of New York, who is spending the summer at Intervall, has reported to the police that his car, which was a 1911 model, would not start. He has asked the police to help him search for the cause of the trouble.

Dress All in Laces Next Season, Dame Fashion Decees

NEW YORK, July 24.—Paul Eltman, St. Louis lace importer, arrived on the Kaiser Wilhelm from Germany on a three-month tour of Europe, where he has been observing the direction in which the fashions of the fashionably attired are pointing.

"Lace will be the dominant material for the attire of fashionable women next season," he said. "The French resorts are filled with women wearing gowns of that material, and in some cases the lace has become so popular that it is by no means an uncommon sight to see women attired in lace stockings, shoes made of lace uppers, lace hats and even gloves."

"Popular skirts, like the new pleated skirt, are being manufactured entirely of lace and the skirt itself is still in demand. The effect is startling. Lace stockings in contrast colors are seen everywhere and I think will be used in America."

WHO IS AMERICA'S MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN?

Announcement of an extraordinary competition in which a \$250,000 prize is offered for the most beautiful woman in America. The contest is open to all women of legal age and is held annually. The winner will receive the prize and the title of America's Most Beautiful Woman.

WEDDING BELLS QUIET AS MOTHER CRIES OUT "HALT"

MANCHESTER, N. H., July 24.—Albert C. Chittenden and Ada C. Chittenden of this city were today interrupted as they were about to be married at St. Anne's Church, when the frantic mother of the bride-to-be, who is a prominent at her home, dashed up the steps and separated the couple.

"My daughter is only sixteen years old," she cried out. "She cannot marry without my permission. I refuse to allow her to marry this man. Arrest him!" Finally the mother relented and the wedding party postponed the ceremony, but told the mother to wait and arrest the would-be bridegroom.

HONOR CROSS TO PRINCE

PARIS, July 24.—The Prince of Wales received the Grand cross of the Legion of Honor from President Poincaré at a formal dinner.

VACATION CRUISES

To Quebec Via Halifax, N. S. and Quebec, P. Q. The ship will leave New York on August 1st and return on August 15th. The ship will visit St. John's, N. S., and St. John's, N. B., and will return to New York on August 15th.

To Bermuda

From New York, Bermuda, and back to New York. The ship will leave New York on August 1st and return on August 15th. The ship will visit St. John's, N. S., and St. John's, N. B., and will return to New York on August 15th.

MUST REDUCE MY STOCK

\$15,000.00 FROM THURSDAY MORNING TO SATURDAY NIGHT BEFORE TAKING AN INVENTORY

I am going to stun the City of Boston with low prices. I am going to take stock next week. I am going to sell \$10,000 worth of men's, women's and children's shoes at prices that no wholesaler nor retailer ever heard of. Remember this is an event that you must not neglect. No shop-worn nor old style shoes bought for this sale. It's all my own fresh new spring and summer stock.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO PUBLIC: Remember I give my personal attention to the buying of all these shoes. I don't hire economical shoe buyer in Boston. I pay cash for everything that I buy. You get the benefit of my 20 years' experience as a shoe expert.

WM. SHEINWALD.

THIS PHENOMENAL 3 DAYS' SALE OPENS TOMORROW MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK

WOMEN'S

Footwear now priced so low that you can afford to buy shoes, pumps or oxfords and put them away in your closets till next year.

These Beautiful CUSTOM Model

OXFORDS

In finest Russia calf, tailored exclusively in the best stores at \$6. This money-saving sale...

Here's That Popular PRINCESS PUMP

A dressy model, made of the finest patent leather—well buckled—\$4 regularly. This great sale to raise money, even though at a big loss, per pair...

White Canvas Pumps

1500 pairs of Women's White Canvas Pumps, usual price \$2.00. This great sale, all sizes...

NU-BUCK BOOTS

Purest white, elegantly finished, 1912's dressiest models only. Did you ever hear of them at less than \$3.50 a pair? Here's where I take a big sacrifice. Choice—all sizes—while they last—this sale only...

"THE HANNAH"

A limited number of these famous \$3.50 Pumps and Oxfords—velvet, patent colts and gum metals. While They Last. THIS SALE

85c

MEN'S

I do not believe that I nor anyone else will ever be forced to cut prices as I am now doing. Come! I must have the money!

Finest \$4.00 Patent Leather and Gun Metal

OXFORDS

Button or lace—all sizes—all newest models. This sale...

1.89

"The Ruppert"

Swell non-spylet style, in finest Russia calf, light or dark. Custom made in every detail and sold only in the most exclusive men's shops as high as \$6.00, \$8.00 and \$7.00. Great sacrifice cash price

2.49

"The Walk-for-ever Shoes"

For men who appreciate latest style high shoes—light, easy and in all leathers, button and lace. Regular price \$4. This great Sale only

1.89

LATEST FASHIONABLE PUMPS

In gun metal and patent calf, elegantly styled and finished. Retail value \$5.00. This Great Sale for Cash, per pair,

2.39

MAIL ORDERS FILLED

2.49

600 Pairs Men's Yachting Shoes

Reg. price \$1.50, this sale...

95c

W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES

OXFORDS THIS SALE

1.69

Children's Dept.

Biggest, Best and Coolest in Boston

95c

65c

BOYS' BOX CALF SHOES

Size up to 5 1/2. Regular price \$2.50. Special for this sale, at

95c

65c

Misses' Lace and Button-Regula

\$2.00. SALE PRICE

89c

98c

Newest Goodyear Welt

\$2.00 Pumps, all leathers.

69c

79c

65c

500 Pairs of Misses' and Children's \$2.00 White Canvas Pumps

for street wear. This 3 days' sale only

79c

6000 Pairs Goodyear Welt SANDALS

This Sale

35c

49c

1000 Pairs Children's 75c Sneakers and Bathing Shoes

THIS GREAT SALE PRICE,

29c

COOLEST SHOE STORE IN BOSTON

This is the most comfortable, coolest and best appointed shoe store in this city—20 extra salesmen for this big sale.

WEINWALD'S, 40 SUMMER ST.

OPEN SAT. NIGHTS

FRESNO DAN TELLS ABOUT LEAVING RUSSELL HOME FOR WEST

EXECUTOR ALMY IS CALLED TO STAND IN
STRANGE WILL CASE.

By CLEMENT L. POLLOCK.
The Russell drama, with Fresno Dan as the star, was resumed today in the East Cambridge Court.



"Did you see the reference to this case entirely by accident?"

"Yes. I was at Tom Meyer's and read it in his newspaper."

"Have you a picture of that place you



Miss Mary Murray, who attended the first Russell trial every day and began the present one right, is on a verge



Ghost Rooms in Hanover Parish House

Weird Things Happen in the Rectory Which Cannot Be Explained.

The spiritual speak, or direct practical joker, or whatever it is that stirred the townpeople of South Hanover and drove the Rev. Charles Donohue, rector of the Church of the Sacred Heart, from the comfortable parish house in that town, today added another to "his" already long list of ghastly doings.

The latest thing the "ghost" has done was to send a door in the rectory flying open just after it had been locked and taken away. This happened last night, following a visit to the "haunted" rectory. The following morning a crowd of several hundred people had surrounded the house in small detachments, and the windows in their columns and columns were all pointed to the window of the rectory that the "ghost" were really at work.

The crowd stood all the way down the street when the door was opened. A few minutes later the door was closed and the key removed, in a second the door flew open, as if forced by some invisible hand.

Click the Only Click.

The only thing the spectators heard was a mysterious click.

Similar clicks are said to have occurred every part of the "ghost".

Here are some of the things that have happened in the house since they first came to the notice of the people all at once without explanation.

A table overturned and its legs were broken.

All the windows were open and the wind blew.

An alarm clock went off and the alarm was sounded.

The water clock in the rectory, which was broken, was fixed.

Books scattered on the floor, and the water clock was broken.

A hat rack fell and scattered.

And the only thing the "ghost" did was a click.

Father Donohue believes that a fair share of the things that have happened in the rectory are the work of the "ghost".

The manifestations have not stopped.

FATHER DONOHUE.



Only Clue to the Mystery Is a "Click" Which Precedes Each Freak.

During morning, he said, "I placed an alarm clock near the head of the bed, and it must have been about one o'clock when it was awakened, and the clock flew in one side of the room, striking the wall."

"I arose and picked it up, placing it at the head of the bed again. It was broken and continued to tick. I was unable to get to sleep and in a short time I heard another crash. The clock had gone from the head of the bed, down the right side leading from the upper story. This time it was crushed to pieces, and the only thing left was the glass frame."

He communicated with some of his colleagues and informed them of the condition of affairs at his home. A company of twelve volunteered to watch for these occurrences.

Press Tree Cases.

The manifestations continued. A lady, sitting in the front hall, near where the men were seated, dismounted from her pedestal and was crushed on the floor. A dress train standing in the upper hall fell down the front stairs and was broken.

The occupants of the house at once left for the homes of neighbors.

Father Donohue was at once speaking of the strange happenings. He was completely unimpressed by his experiences. He said:

"I am at a loss to explain how these things happen. I have seen many things, but not been able to find any one who can explain them. I have seen many things, but not been able to find any one who can explain them."

At night, when Father Donohue, his wife, Miss Margaret O'Connell, and his friend, Miss Frances E. Holman, had returned to the rectory, the house was again visited by the "ghost".

A table in the kitchen was overturned and the legs broken.

The front hall was a small cluttered room, in front of which stood a stool. The organ remained silent, but the stool was broken, the screws loosened, and thrown about the room, and one of the iron screws was bent.

Jelly Glasses Broken.

A little later in the evening, sounds were heard in the kitchen. Miss O'Connell and Miss Holman went to investigate. They found the water clock broken, and the water clock was broken.

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Jordan Marsh Company Great Basement Store

The Best Ventilated Basement Store in Boston
A Store Within a Store for the Sale of the Less Expensive Lines of Goods

Every Item Entirely New From Those
Advertised in Last Saturday's American
Greatest Midsummer Bargain Sale
Ever Held in This Famous Basement Store
At Half Regular Prices

Odd Lots, Broken Sizes, Sample Lots and Discontinued Lines,
Left from our Record-Breaking Business of the Past Few Weeks

In this Stupendous Mid-season Clearance Sale, the people of Boston and for miles around will witness one of the most phenomenal Bargain Events ever announced from this Great Money-Saving Store. Every department contributes its share to this Big Sale, offering values in Reliable, Seasonable and Inexpensive Merchandise seldom, if ever, heard of before.

Men's 15.00 2-Piece Outing Suits, including English Comfort Suits with silk sleeve linings, no padding or lining, and excellent fitting; up to the minute in patterns and style. Sizes 38-44. 7.50

Men's and Young Men's 11.00 2 and 3-Piece Suits, no padding or lining, no dannels, cassimeres and worsteds. Sizes 32 to 44. 5.50

Men's Slip-on Raincoats: 2.00 Raincoats, now 1.50 3.00 Raincoats, now 2.30 13.00 Raincoats, now 7.50

Men's 3.00 Automobile Drivers, cut with large full body, cut with large full body, cut with large full body. 1.50

Men's and Young Men's 6.50 Coats and Vests, up-to-date in style, cut and fit. Sizes 32 to 40. 3.25

Men's 3.00 Patent Coll Boots, Goodyear, white, pair, to 11. 1.50

Men's 2.50 Russian Calf Oxford, Goodyear, white, sizes 8, 9, 10. 1.25

Half-Price Sale Men's 15c Outing Collars At 6c

235 dozen of these fine mercerized outing collars. In tan, white and slate; sizes 12 to 17. Men's 19c Reversible Mercerized Wash Ties, in plain colors or neat pattern stripes. 3 for 25c. Each. 9c

Men's 1.00 Bathing Suits, one-piece style. Medium weight cotton, also heavy cotton, part made of navy with red or white trimmings. All sizes. 50c

Men's 1.00 Neckties, one-piece style, with neat separate soft collar to match with soft or handkerchiefs attached collar, some with attached soft collar. 50c

39c Corset Covers, lace trimmed. 19c

79c to 1.00 Princess Slips, good wearing quality. 39c

1.50 Night Gowns, Japanese silk and muslin. 69c

50c Drawers, lace trimmed and cotton, also. 25c

1.00 Sateen Petticoats, a good petticoat at half price. 49c

2.50 Silk Petticoats, a value impossible to duplicate elsewhere. 1.25

Children's 25c Emb. Trimmed Skirts, 4 to 6 years only. 12c

Children's 4 to 5 years Drawers, 4-6 years. 12c

Misses 39c Drawers, lace trimmed. 19c

1.49 and 1.95 Heatherloom Petticoats 75c

25c Table Oil Cloth, 5-4 width, light and dark patterns, yard. 12c

2.00 Real Leather Hand Bags, German leather. 98c

3.00 Sample Travelling Cases, for women. 98c

1.00 Real Leather Hand Bag, extraordinary bargain at. 49c

Half-Price Sale of This New 2.00 House Dress Only 95c

The New "2 in 1" Dress Fits all Belts and Hips

Ask for the new "2 in 1" House Dress—something entirely new—a revolution to every woman. A kimono or a house dress by tightening the strings. Fits all belts and hips.

Thoroughly sewed and cut on the new model. Made in neat striped and checked Amoskeag Ginghams; square neck and 1 length sleeves.

6.00 Wash Dresses, manufacturer's sample line of high-grade denim, in dotted silk, mull and velvets. In several styles, mostly size 36, at. 2.95

59c Damask, 22 inches wide, mercerized finish; several good patterns, in tan, white, and slate. 29c

3.98 Renaissance Lunch Cloths, 54-inch size, drawn work, entire, heavy braid. 1.98

99c Huck, 30 inches wide, fine quality, plain and stripe patterns. 7c

99c Towels, fine quality of silk, half linen, 18x36. 7c

10c Napkins, mercerized fine linen, 18-in. size, hemmed. 5c

99c 40-Inch All-Wool Vests, good line of color. 19c

39c 36-In. Shepherd Check Suits, brown. 12c

1.00 54 and 58-Inch All-Wool Suits, also serge, chevrons, pinstripes and mohairs. 50c

25c and 19c 36-Inch Percale and Spun Silk. 8c

39c 32-Inch English Veneer Cloth, in tan and brown. 17c

Half-Price Sale of 1.00 Scrim Curtains = 49c =

Like cut, made with 2-inch hem, hemmed bottom and neat lace edge. Headed ready to put up. Per set.

2.50 Scrim Curtains, 4-inch hem, imitation clay insertion, extra quality scrim, per 1.25

1.75 Lace Curtains, 100 inch long, 60 inches wide, Irish point and Renaissance designs; pair. 87c

50c Ruffled Linen Curtains, hemmed, with 1/2 yard tucks; pair. 25c

1.75 Couch Covers, 60 inches wide, Kashmir weaves, Oriental designs. 87c

15c Curtain Scrim, in colored borders and floral designs; yard. 7c

20c Curtain Scrim, in cream or white, lace black pattern; yard. 10c

Women's 29c to 50c Lisle and Chamottee Gloves, 5-class, good assortment of sizes; white, black and colors. 14c

Women's 95c Fine Lisle Gloves, 16-button length; black only. 19c

Women's 50c Silk Gloves, 5-class, sizes 10 to 12; golden brown, mode. 25c

Children's 50c Hats, up-to-date styles, Sies 2 to 7 years. 25c

Children's 5.00 White Serge Coats, all-wool serge, silk lined, trimmed, new spring styles. Sies a mostly 2. 1.98

Infants' 1.00 Short Dresses, fine lace and embroidered yokes; plain and lace trimmed, bottom; sizes 6 months to 2 years. 50c

Half-Price Sale Regular 29c Imported Dotted Swiss Muslin 12 1/2c Yd.

The entire surplus stock of an exclusive manufacturer, and without question the greatest over-embroidered in these dainty fabrics. They come in a very smart stripe effect with the all-over embroidered, white grounds in the following colors: 10-4, light blue, tan, lavender and black.

10c Printed Batiste, dainty printed, batiste in a variety of desirable patterns. 5c

Women's 1.00 Ribbed Union Suits, sheer weights, low neck, sleeves, knee length, light and dark colors. 49c

Women's 25c Fancy Vests, Swiss ribbed, low neck, sleeves, lace yokes, no skirted style; seconds. 12c

Women's 12 1/2c Vests, Swiss ribbed, low neck, sleeves, lace yokes, no skirted style; seconds. 6c

Infants' and Children's 15c Underwear, vests, pants and 4 to 6 years; odd and broken lots. 10c

25c Box Stationery, containing 60 sheets and 30 envelopes; 2 boxes for 25c. 12c

25c Initial Writing Paper, a box. 11c

10c Post Card Album, 5c

15c Talcum Powder, 7c

80c Bath Brushes, best grade, 49c

25c Bath Perfume 12c

39c Dresden Ribbon, 6 and 7 inches wide. 19c

29c Fancy Ribbons, 14c

20c Stripes and Dresden Ribbons, variety of popular styles. 10c

25c Ayod's Water Wings, with full directions. 12c

19c Bathing Caps, assortment of colors and styles. 9c

15c Bathing Garters, firm elastic, with adjustable buckles. Pair. 7c



We go about this business of cleaning up stocks, of putting the ship in shape for Fall in a clean-cut, decided fashion. We know NO middle way. We have neither the patience nor the desire to make slight reductions and then HOPE that the public will think that the values are great.

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SILK HAT HARRY'S DIVORCE SUIT

The Judge Was in Such Good Humor, Too

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By Tad



RILEY'S COLUMN

CATCHER CADDY, the Red Sox "find," has injected a new problem into baseball. Ryan of Cleveland attempted to steal home in the second Cleveland game. Caddy ran up and intercepted the steal, interfering with the batsman. Shortstop Peckinpah, umpire Hart, gave the latter first base, but sent back the base runner, slowing Hart to a Solomon.

CADDY's interference kept Cleveland from scoring a run. Ryan would almost certainly have tallied if there had been no complication. It is the first time that the question has arisen exactly this way in a big league game.

THE situation was this: Birmingham had scored, the standing was 4 to 2 in favor of Boston. Ryan was on third base and two were out. Joe Wood was "going easy" playing for the better and not working any faster than he had to. Ryan took a long lead off third, and as Wood "went up" slowly, dashed for the plate. He was nearly there when Wood delivered the ball.

JUST as Caddy was waiting for the delivery, Caddy pushed his way to the plate. Ryan was privileged to do. His bat, the ball and Caddy's left wrist collided against instantaneously, and an instant later Ryan slid across the plate. The ball rolled into left territory.

UMPIRE HART sent Peckinpah to first base because of Caddy's interference, which decision was unquestionably right. He ordered Ryan back to third base where he struck at the ball, or because he hit it foul.

IF Caddy had not run to the plate and Peckinpah had not struck at it, Ryan would probably have succeeded in the steal. Peckinpah had the right to strike at the ball and if it did not hit him or he did not hit it, he had the right to come. But when a catcher interferes, the batter strikes at the ball and there is such a mix-up, the umpire has a job on his hands.

THERE was a protest from both sides. But Hart's decision stood. And it was right. The point is that Caddy's interference would likely keep Ryan from scoring. It kept Peckinpah from taking the ball square, which might have been fatal to the steal. Peckinpah was right in that the steal was coming and, according to custom, struck at the ball as he tried to hit fairly and pull off a "squeeze" play. He intended to interfere with Caddy, as Caddy interfered with him, but Caddy was there first, and Hart's decision was wise.

CADDY courage to jeopardize his knuckles and his neck by running up to the plate. It is another development of Caddy as a catcher. He'll do.

WOOD hit the next two up, filling the bases, but Jackson grounded to Garret, who tagged third, forcing Peckinpah, and Ryan was left at third base.

WOOD sided up Jackson's attempt to steal in the third and pitched a case outside of the plate, so that Caddy had ample time to throw, but Wagner had to make one of his famous one-handed catches to reject the runner.

JAKE STEINER gave ground to have a set of springs to it in the eighth inning. Griggs, the first man up, hit to Wagner, who threw accurately, but the ball bounded over Griggs' hands as it hit and struck a rubber runner.

ALTHOUGH the score was 6 to 2 against them, the "Naps" made a threat in the ninth. After Meisel, batting for O'Neil, had cut Evers' standing in Picher's hands, they singled through the line. Tim Lincecum, batting for Peckinpah, Evers' standing to second. Olson, Chalmers and O'Neil, batting for Peckinpah, threw out to third—something they do so rarely that it is worthy of mention that it happened—and Evers' scored. Olson went to second. Jackson then hit.

McArthur Winning Big Marathon



This picture shows South African breaking the tape a winner in the great classic. Just before the finish he was decorated with a giant flower wreath, which he is wearing.

PIGRIMS TO DO SOME PIRATING

PITTSBURGH, July 25.—While the two pilgrims are hopeful of winning the day's game, they are positive that they will at least break the long run of goose eggs they have encountered since entering this city. For eighteen instances of play, now, the Boston tallies have failed to send a man across home plate, which is a disgrace even for a ball and team.

Manager Kling had his men out on the field early today to give them some much needed and useful work in running the bases. It is a proven fact that the pilgrims can waste more hits than any two teams in the league.

For two days now, a battle has been promised between Phil Porter and Harry Hendrix and all signs point to last week's fight taking place today. Porter has always been troublesome to the local and it will not be very surprising if he should manage to have up a win over the Pirates.

Yesterday's battle was close enough and was not decided until the ninth inning. Hendrix and Hendrix were the opposite of the argument. He allowed seven scattered hits, gave one base on balls and failed to get any of his teammates had been there but the winning run.

Boston has a different chance to win the game. In two innings they had two men on base, one out, and Hendrix was in the box, with none out, but they were out.

RED SOX AFTER THIRD STRAIGHT

With two games in their net, the Red Sox will go after the Naps all the harder this afternoon, to capture the third straight in the series. Evers' Chatter Hall or Hugh Bellier will be Manager Stahl's choice to do the mound work.

A warm battle is expected, for Manager Davies is disgraced with the manner his men are being treated and will send his star pitcher, Vern Gregg, out to do battle in the hope of stopping their downward slide.

But the Red Sox put four left-handed bats this year, and Mr. Gregg is not in the same treatment that has been accorded to other pitchers' writers.

Yesterday's game was an unusual one. In fact, Joe Wood and some of the other stars were a little bit off form. The result was that the game was in doubt at several periods and a little luck would have put the game on ice for the Naps.

Handing pitched with excellent judgment and added his position in each style, as did Wood.

The Boston men were keeping a close tab on the scoreboard, showing the result of the game at Washington, and left the grounds with the Senators in the lead. So was not very long, after the game, that they learned the Tigers had stuck their heads into the fighting house and put Boston right games to the post.

Buck Weaver is playing a fine game at short for the Windy City crew. He came any number of brilliant plays yesterday, handling six chances in perfect fashion.

Big Bolls is in over his slump which started in this city when he fanned five times in a row. The coast fence mander peeled off three safe, alone in four times up, but not one of his blunders was of value to his team, coming at inopportune times.

Bert Daniels is having a great slump in hitting. Early in the season he was going along at a 250 clip, but is now having great difficulty in finding on the ball.

Jack Evers, who has been selling the Texas League on fire with his playing at second for the Dallas team, may become a free in the near future, according to word from the Lone Star State. It is said the Dallas manager has offered him to the Yankee owner.

The White Sox have won only four since beginning their invasion of the East, taking one in each city. They lost three to the Mackinnons, two to the Nationals and four to the Red Sox.

BASEBALL CARD

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

BOSTON	W 21	L 11	W 21	L 11
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Games Today.

Cleveland at Boston, 3:15 p. m.
St. Louis at Chicago, 3:15 p. m.
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Washington at New York, 3:15 p. m.

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Games Today.

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NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

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Games Today.

Lancaster at Haverhill, 3:15 p. m.
Lowell at New Bedford, 3:15 p. m.
Wareham at Fall River, 3:15 p. m.

M'LOUGHLIN TO MEET LARNED

Maurice E. McLaughlin, the California tennis crack, will meet E. P. Larned in the challenge contest, at Longwood this afternoon. The Westerner was star W. C. Clotier in the final round yesterday, gave him the opportunity to meet the present holder of the cup, and a great deal is expected.

The blonde youth from San Francisco had things all his own way yesterday and won, with comparative ease over his more experienced opponent in three straight sets, 7-5, 6-4, 6-2.

McLaughlin had almost everything that is in the catalogue as regards playing style, and fooled Clotier time and again on returns.

Clotier attempted to outguess his opponent by standing way back of the net, but to reverse the service, but McLaughlin drew him up on shots that barely attained the net, and then passed him time and again.

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TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS; FINANCIAL NEWS

Prices Ease Off in a Stagnant Stock Market

By W. H. ROSS.



STATE STREET, July 24.—MIDDAY. There was the same stagnation in the Boston market this morning which characterized yesterday, more copper issues being fractionally lower and the buying demand of a contracted nature.

Outside of the copper line, Boston & Albany was quoted 2 points lower and New England Telephone was up one. Telephone and Boston & Albany were a couple of points up last night.

It is reiterated that Butler & Superior's connection with Senator Clark over the Illinois Office Company's connection has been refuted. It is supposed that the sale of Butte of Vice-President Mackay's interest in Butler & Superior is connected with the proposed acquisition of new properties.

When J. Thompson Morgan arrived at New York today he would not discuss either the political or financial situation, but he did say that he had not while in Europe he was "disgusted with politics in this country."

Butler is selling today at 7.80 cents per pound. New York delivery, and this is a record high price.

Big Market Dull and Lower.

The New York market continues dull and the price tendency is decidedly downward. There was very little demand for stocks at the start. Leading railroad and industrial were a couple of points lower. The biggest decline was suffered by National Electric, which went down 10 points. General Electric was a stock to open higher and maintain its place in early trading.

Iron common, which has been a strong feature in the recent trading, received some liquidation in the early transactions, reducing 8 to 10 cents. First Copper on two transactions fell to 61 1/2. Some of the other price changes were: American Steel up 1/2, Amalgamated up 1/2, Smelting up 1/2, Adolphus up 1/2, Union Pacific up 1/2.

Part of the initial decline was later reversed and at the end of the first quarter of an hour of trading the market was being quoted at practically the same prices at which they closed yesterday.

The New York market opened steady. In the London market American stocks rose and fell, with steel, iron and copper slightly easier. In the copper market metal spot and futures each opened 1/2, silver and that market was weak.

Copper Metal Situation.

Right on the heels of the report that European countries have renewed inquiries of copper in this country the operations in the standard metal market in London for spot and futures were somewhat of a puzzle.

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related to several London sources that there is a possibility of a new copper mine being discovered in the district of the Copper River in Alaska. The mine is said to be of considerable size and is expected to be developed within a few years.

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Arden	16	15	15 1/2
Butte	10	9	9 1/2
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UNLISTED SECURITIES.

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To the Elevated Directors

Kindly AND WISELY Say to Your General Bancroft That American Citizens Employed by a Public Service Corporation DO Have the Right to Organize—And So, Mr. Directors, in This QUEREST OF ALL QUEER POLITICAL YEARS, Spare the People and the Industries of This Commonwealth a SPECIAL SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

It appears to the AMERICAN that the time has come when the directors of the Boston Elevated Railway—Mr. Ayer, Mr. Winsor, Mr. Thayer AND THE OTHERS—should quietly take the helm of that great public service enterprise and say to General William A. Bancroft, their president, that he CANNOT RUN THEIR PROPERTY MUCH LONGER IF HE IS GOING TO LIVE IN THE PAST.

The employees of the Boston Elevated Railway HAVE THE RIGHT of American citizens to organize as such employees. When General Bancroft took the attitude that these American citizens did not have that right, and began to order the discharge of such EMPLOYEES as were prominent in the work of organizing, he took a stand that few employers have taken, SUCCESSFULLY since about 1884. In which respect General William A. Bancroft reminds us of Nelson W. Aldrich, Jacob H. Gallinger and others too numerous to mention.

The strike of the Elevated Railway's carmen has already cost the railway company a sum which, were the public to know all, would STAGGER THIS COMMUNITY. Fewer cars have been running, patronage has fallen off, THIEVES have been in charge of many of the bellhops.

Much greater, in the long run, however, will be the loss in prestige, in GOOD WILL.

And all because one man, William A. Bancroft, with the spoken or implied support of his directors, says IN 1912 that the carmen must choose between organization and employment!

The Boston AMERICAN, which urged as early as June 4 that the Elevated and its employees GET TOGETHER as reasonable men, and which EIGHT DAYS LATER called for a settlement of the strike BY ARBITRATION, today advises the directors of the Boston Elevated Railway Company to come to the front and end existing intolerable conditions by ONE WORD TO WILLIAM A. BANCROFT.

PUT THE STRIKING CARMEN BACK ON THEIR CARS. Meet the officials of their union. Deal with them as fellow-citizens. Which, we need not add, does not mean, NECESSARILY, that whatever the union wants to have it ought to have.

There is talk now of a SPECIAL SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE. For what purpose?

TO ENACT LAWS THAT WILL CARRY OUT THE RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN THE REPORT OF THE STATE BOARD OF CONCILIATION AND ARBITRATION.

We do not need to call the attention of men like Robert Winsor, E. V. R. Thayer, F. E. Peabody, George Peabody Gardner, and the other directors of the Boston Elevated Railway Company, to the fact that this is about the queerest of all queer political years. THESE DIRECTORS KNOW THAT, WITHOUT OUR TELLING THEM OF IT.

Nor is there any necessity to point out that POLITICS is bound to cut SOME figure in the matter of the strike on the Elevated, IF IT IS NOT DOING SO ALREADY.

If the Massachusetts Legislature is called together in special session at this time, IT MAY GO MUCH FURTHER than the enactment of laws that will carry out the recommendations of the State Board. Whatever it does, it is quite certain to make the directors of the Elevated regret the stiff-necked attitude of their railway president and the support they have given him IN THAT ATTITUDE.

General Bancroft and the Greater Boston public parted company the day General Bancroft said that his employees must not have an organization—meaning a labor union—and at the same time patted on the heads those loyal employees who had banded together in an organization designed and blessed by General Bancroft.

The Boston Elevated Railway gets everything for nothing from this community. It cannot prosper, AS ALL OF US WANT IT TO PROSPER, without the good will of Greater Boston.

And it cannot win back the good will it has lost until the striking carmen are back on their cars, their right to organize FULLY ADMITTED BY EVERYBODY.

The AMERICAN earnestly hopes that the directors of the Elevated Railway Company—ALL OF THEM—may come back to town and stay here long enough to settle this strike without further delay.

At all events spare us—IN THIS YEAR OF ALL YEARS—a special session of the Massachusetts Legislature.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

CIVIC RIGHTNESS AND GOOD GOVERNMENT

Editor Boston AMERICAN:
Dear Sir—Your public spiritedness and broad liberality in having Governor Russell and you publish his brilliant and magnanimous editorial, entitled "The Forgotten Man," in Sunday's AMERICAN, is the greatest act yet done by any newspaper for the cause of civic righteousness and good government. Yours truly,

W. H. McARDY.

PRaise FOR ATTITUDE IN RUSSELL WILL CASE.

Editor Boston AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—In all since I read praise for the stand you have taken in the editorial the AMERICAN is in respect to the Russell case. It is to be sincerely hoped you keep the good work up until (I trust) every Haglin will admit the same spirit of wisdom and fair play to go to the Grand Jury.

G. F. C.

KEEP RELIGION OUT OF POLITICS

Editor Boston AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—Just a line to congratulate you on the editorial in the AMERICAN entitled, "Why Not Leave Religion Out of Politics?"

As a column of your utterances so true, should be posted in every assembly hall of every political club throughout the entire country, for it should be potent to every man that, at this age, a man's religious belief is not and should not be highest position the people can confer upon a qualified citizen.

Permit me to say that I read your editorial, with much pleasure and profit, and that in point of impartiality, fairness, dignity and integrity I consider them second to none.

Trusting you may be always sustained in the same spirit of wisdom and fair play to read the public mind. I am,

J. H. WILSON.



Desperate Desmond—and Three Heroes



1—DESMOND'S PLAN. Desmond Prohibition, needing more shade in his "dry" country, sets off to chop down our heroes.

2—THE FLAG OF TRUCE. Heroes Taft, Wilson and Roosevelties with Prohibition while they plan a circus to raise the coin.

3—THE DOUBLE CROSS. Hero Roosevelt, being a practical man, sells the crowd tickets for his own circus in Chicago.

4—EMPTY CHAIR. Desperate Desmond Prohibition and our three heroes wait in the circus tent, but no spectators assemble to see the Beautiful Rosamond Election vault from street to street.

5—EXPOSED. Two anxious purchasers of tickets to the Chicago affair have heard that the B. Moore may not appear there and come to inquire, thus giving away Hero Roosevelt's plot.

6—THE WRANGLE. While Heroes Wilson and Taft are arguing with Hero Roosevelt, Desperate Prohibition skidooes with Rosamond. Full pictures of the fight tomorrow.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

—ON—
The Important Business of Marriage
and How Divorce Might Be Avoided

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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MARRIAGE is the most important business in the world.

No large corporation, with offices in every city in the land, means so much to the human race as one happy, clean, loving home, where there is one standard of morals for husband and wife, and where there are mutual affection, mutual trust and confidence, and a constant effort to be reasonable, agreeable, sensible and considerate. Such a home is HEAVEN.

"But Heaven is not reached by a single bound: "We mount to the summit round by round."

However two people love when they marry, domestic happiness must, to continue, be gained by daily practice of the old-fashioned virtues. Because the lover she must not imagine she has nothing to do to retain her perfection in his eyes. Instead she must feel a great responsibility put upon her, to produce a materialization of his ideal.

Husband Must Use Common Sense to Keep Wife's Love

The husband who has won his prize must not imagine he can keep the respect and loyalty and love of his wife without using self-control and common sense reasonably.

Why do men and women ignore these plain facts?

Why do they understand that every object in life which they set forth to seek must be continually toiled for and made a subject of study and patient effort, and yet ignore all these rules when they set forth to attain domestic happiness?

And without that, what is life worth?

We all deplore the prevalence of divorce in the land. Divorce is so common that it is vulgar.

It is no longer tragic. Yet there are situations which are so distressing one is amazed at the spiritual courage of the husband or the wife who endures a continuance of domestic life.

There is a man who works every alternate night. On the night when he does not work, he never appears at his home until 2 or 3 in the morning.

And then he refuses to state where he has been.

There is a daughter of sixteen; and she is curious to know why her father is away from his home.

Still Loves Her Husband, Despite His Disloyalty

There are neighbors who hear him return; and the unhappy wife must not only suffer with loneliness and sorrow, but she must

hear the humiliation of gossip and scandal.

She has been married eighteen years; and she has no way of taking care of herself and her family.

Besides she married for love, and the flame burns still in her heart despite the husband's selfishness and disloyalty.

What possible pleasure or happiness can a man find in his dissipation or his gambling or his amours which can compensate him for the loss of his self-respect and the knowledge that he has spoiled the life of the woman he chose for his life companion; the keeper of his home and the mother of his child?

Married life can be made so beautiful with the humblest surroundings and in the midst of the hardest toil if the two contracting parties will hold the ideal of a perfect partnership which is to result in complete success just as two men in business do.

When anything causes a difference of opinion, the two business associates always sit down and quietly talk the matter over.

Each has his own special duties, and obligations to make the partnership a success; and if one neglects or shrinks his responsibilities the other has a right to complain.

Precisely the same method should be used in the marriage business. This man under discussion promised to love, support and cherish the woman he married, and he is breaking his obligations by neglecting her and making her unhappy by his questionable habits.

At the same time it is possible that the wife has not made an attractive home for the husband. She may be a nervous woman; she may be a careless housekeeper.

She may have allowed herself to grow rowdy and unnecessarily old and uninteresting, and she may think of nothing better to talk about when her husband is at home than her ailments, aches and pains.

Regard Marriage as a Business to Avoid Divorce

The mere fact of a marriage does not keep a man contented and happy in the companionship of a woman of this description.

But instead of rushing away from her to seek distraction elsewhere, the masculine member of the marriage business concern should talk with the woman partner and tell her just where she is failing, and ask her to try and keep up her part of the contract.

The wife should do the same when the main partner begins to be lax in his obligations. Many divorces could be avoided if husbands and wives regarded marriage as an important business affair.

Governor Eugene Noble Foss

of Massachusetts will be the editor of next Sunday's AMERICAN. The Bay State Governor is just at present very prominently before the public, and he is recognized everywhere as one of the forceful personalities of the country. What he will have to say editorially will interest every son of Massachusetts and of New England, and no one can afford to miss next Sunday's AMERICAN.

The editor of the fourth of the Sunday AMERICAN'S "Governors' Editions," to be issued Sunday, August 4, will be Governor Aram J. Pothier of Rhode Island, and Governor John A. Mead of Vermont will edit the issue of Sunday, August 11.

You will want every one of these "Governors' Editions," and you will do well to tell your newsdealer so today.